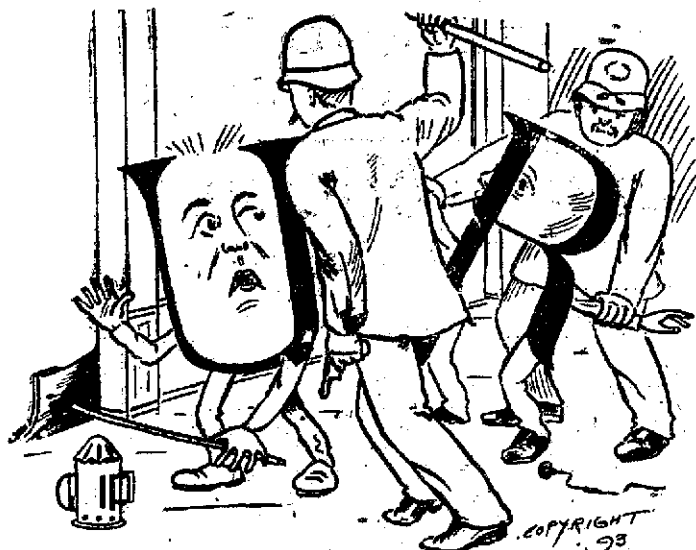


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the largest line of stylish, well cut and made, and at unheard-of prices—cheaper than stealing. We have them in neat effects from \$2.00 for Coat and Vest, up to the finest made.

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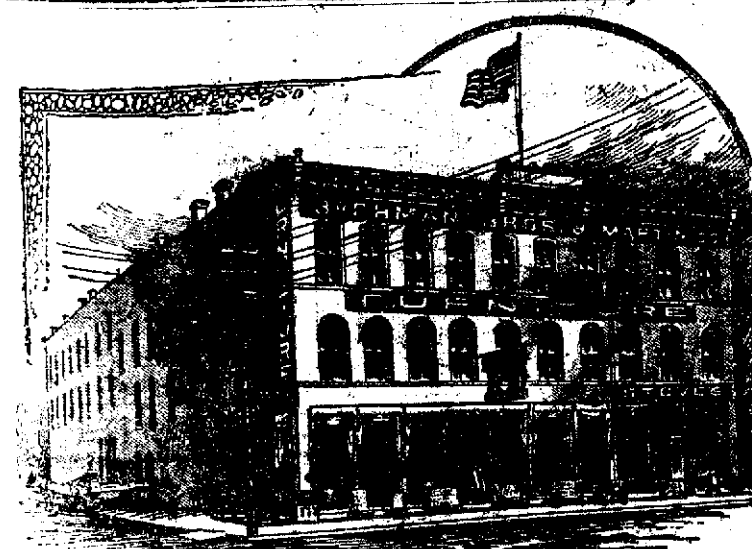
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THE WINNERS.

Result of the Republican
County Convention.

J. L. Thayer in the Chair--
The Nominees and Resolutions--Old Time
Enthusiasm.

THE NOMINEES.

County Judge.....W. L. Hammer.
County Clerk.....James M. Dodd.
Sheriff.....Jerry P. Nicholson.
Treasurer.....Charles H. Patterson.
County Supt.....John G. Keller.

The Macon county Republican delegate convention was held to-day at the court house, with the crowd extending into the halls. It was a hummer in size and enthusiasm, and the contest was friendly throughout. The winning ticket was nominated, and everybody felt good. The ticket is invincible, and it will be elected from top to bottom by handsome majorities in November.

CONVENTION PROCEEDINGS.
The delegates were called to order at 11 o'clock promptly by Captain R. P. Lytle, chairman of the county central committee, who stated that the official call would be read. Secretary J. M. Lee read the call, and the chairman then took occasion to state that there were chairs inside the railing for the accommodation of all the delegates.

A temporary organization was effected by the election of James L. Thayer, of the third district, Decatur, as chairman. On taking the chair Mr. Thayer thanked the convention for the honor conferred upon him and said he would try to discharge his duty in a manner fair and square for all parties interested.

W. W. Foster placed John B. Henry, of Mt. Zion township, in nomination for temporary secretary, and he was elected. Next Davis, of Decatur, was suggested for assistant secretary, but he declined to act.

C. N. Twadell offered a motion that a committee of five each be appointed on permanent organization, rules and resolutions and credentials. Adopted.

Chairman Thayer after a short interval announced the committees as follows:

On Credentials--E. R. Moffett, Blue Mound; D. Buckles, Niantic; A. P. McDonald, Mt. Zion; Jacob S. Cox, Decatur; C. A. Holcomb, Oakley.

On Permanent Organization--Dr. E. H. Thomas, Friends Creek; W. W. Foster, Decatur; C. S. Hankins, Decatur; J. H. Parker, Marion; E. C. Anthony, Decatur.

On Rules and Resolutions--Chas. N. Twadell, Sheridan; W. H. Spence, Decatur; George Lowe, Macon; R. N. Hamilton, Illinois.

On motion of O. T. Kirk the convention adjourned until 1 o'clock.
AFTERNOON SESSION.
The convention was called to order at 1 o'clock.

E. R. Moffett reported for the committee on credentials the names of those entitled to seats in the convention. The list was the same as that published in the Republican yesterday.

Report was adopted.
Dr. E. H. Thomas, for the committee on permanent organization, reported in favor of making the temporary organization permanent. Adopted.

C. N. Twadell, for the committee on rules and resolutions, reported the following order of business:

Calling the roll of townships and districts for members of the county central committee.
Nominations in the following order: County judge, county clerk, sheriff, treasurer and superintendent of schools.

Naming of delegates to the state, congressional and senatorial conventions.
That all resolutions shall be referred to the committee on resolutions without reading.

The report of the committee was adopted.

THE RESOLUTIONS.

These resolutions were reported by the committee and adopted:

As a result of the return of the Democratic party to power, instead of giving an impulse to the business energy of the country, which its leaders declared would follow such a change, the country's business today stands paralyzed. Instead of improving the condition of our manufacturing interests, "by giving them a healthy growth," as these leaders promised, the wheels are idle, the fires have gone out and the smoke has ceased to issue from the towering chimneys.

Instead of improving the condition of the American farmer, as they promised they would do, the farmer has lost more since that party came into power, in the shrinkage of the value of his products, than all the tariff taxes he has paid in thirty years, even if the price of the things he bought "was advanced by the amount of the duty upon that article." In support of this allegation it is only

necessary to refer to the special bulletin issued by the present secretary of agriculture in February, in which he shows that the depreciation of value in horses and sheep alone, between January 1, 1893, and January 1, 1894, amounts to the appalling sum of \$260,000,000.

Instead of bettering the condition of the American working man and making his wife and children happier, as they promised to do, two million working men have been made idle and the wages of those employed has been reduced, and the process of further reduction of wages has become a leading industry, and for the first time since the Republican party gave prosperity to the country (a generation ago) the Saturday night pay roll has been abandoned, and the much talked of dinner pail hangs empty upon the wall. In short, in countless homes hunger and want have taken the place of peace and plenty, agricultural pursuits have been made unremunerative and the products of the farm have been reduced to the lowest price ever known in the history of the country. The Democratic leaders have stood and beheld this ruin multiplying because they were either powerless to avert it or were too much unconcerned in the prosperity of the country to be moved by the cry of distress. Instead of attempting to help the people it has spent its power in an effort to restore a dissolute and discredited queen to power, and in repealing federal election laws enacted to secure fair and honest elections.

They have refused to listen to the appeals of the workmen, who by the millions petitioned Congress not to repeal the present tariff law, and under the ruling of the vice-president the right of petition was denied these workmen in the United States senate.

They promised to deal fairly with the Union soldiers who were on the pension rolls and those who might apply for pensions, and yet in the face of this solemn promise dismissed from the pension rolls twelve thousand veterans without cause or suspicion, without giving them a chance to be heard in their own defense, and attempted to create in the public mind an impression that these men had committed frauds in securing pensions, and have shown by their every act in that department that they are utterly without sympathy for the men who saved the Union.

The Democratic party is responsible for this humiliating spectacle and failure, and we call upon all fair-minded men to cease their support of a party that has shown itself unfit to conduct the affairs of government in the interest of the people, to come over on the Lord's side and march with us to victory.

We denounce the Wilson bill as incongruous and infamous because, in effect, it is sectional and drawn to injure the prosperity of the north and protect the products of the south; that it is framed to the benefit of trusts, and in disregard of the agricultural, manufacturing and laboring interests of the country; that it repeals that provision of the McKinley act by which (under reciprocity treaties) foreign markets were opened for many of our farm products, and taxes the farmer on his sugar. For no better reason than to secure the votes of two Louisiana senators for the bill; that its four hundred amendments in the senate, born of the scheme of selfish demagogues, who seek, at the expense of the national honor, to protect their immediate sectional interests, while they deceive and cheat the remainder of the country, is a shameful exhibition of disregard for the public good and an open confession of the inability of the present leaders of the Democratic party to deal with the tariff question on lines of broad and growing statesmanship.

We denounce the Democratic congressmen from this state, for the part they are taking to pass this infamous measure, which has had the effect to produce universal stagnation of business, and reduce honest and willing laboring men and their families to want, and we especially denounce William M. Springer, the member from this district, who, in a book he has written, claims to be the author of tariff reform, and demand his retirement to private life in the interest of the people of this district, and we pledge the district that the vote of Macon county, in November, shall be directed with the greatest possible power to that end.

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Do you know that for every disease there is a remedy? Do you know that there is a great laboratory holding some right thing that will cure it? To-day a devoted specialist who has been seeking for years and years for a remedy that will cure a specific disease and bring out a specific medical men have experimented upon for ages; tomorrow is developed a remedy which blesses all mankind!

Do you know that all real remedies known to science are the results of such work given to the world? They are, and

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All kinds, all prices.



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50 Pieces of Finest Duck Suitings, at 25c yard.

One Case of Scotch Ginghams, at 18c yard.

One Box of Genuine Scotch Linen Ginghams, at 25c yard.

50 Pieces of 36-inch English Percales, at 10c yard.

One Case of Fine Crown Satines, a regular 20c quality, extra wide, at 12½c yard.

40 Pieces of Dragon Black Organdies, at 35c yard.

Bradley Bros
Decatur, Ill.

Agents Standard Patterns and Jouvin Kid Gloves.

CONVENTION. SITUATION AT DANVILLE.

American Delegates Prospect of Trouble Again--State Meeting.

DANVILLE, Ill., May 22.--Twenty deputy sheriffs surrounded the Mission Field mines and twenty more have been sworn in and will go on duty to-night. Forty Winchester rifles from Chicago and 100 from St. Louis arrived on the early trains this morning and were taken out to the mines. The United Mine Workers held an all-night session last night in this city, debating the Mission Fields matter. They expected the miners there to come out last night, but they went to work as usual this morning. It is said here on the strength of the report the striking miners will go to Mission Fields 800 strong to-morrow morning. President Ridgely, of the Consolidated Coal company at Springfield, has called on the Governor for help.

The local militia has not received an order to travel yet; but if the complications keep on growing they may start for Danville at any time on a special train.

A CONFERENCE.
Chicago, Ill., May 22.--Another effort was made to-day by Illinois mine owners to end the big coal strike. The feeling is growing that Illinois holds the key to the entire situation, and that a compromise between the operators and the miners of this state will speedily bring the great strike to an end. At the close of the conference to-day it was agreed that central and southern Illinois operators should call their men together and make a proposition to increase their wages. It is admitted, even by operators, that southern Illinois miners have been too poorly paid.

The meeting to-day was attended by representatives from the White Breast Coal company, the Star Mining company, the Whittington Coal company and several others. The conference developed a sentiment that there should be no more than 15 difference between the southern and northern districts scale.

It was agreed that the Central and Southern Illinois operators should call their men together and offer them an advance of wages, and that the Northern Illinois men should try to convince their miners that the 75c scale was a trifle too high. The coal for the lower districts' meetings will be issued to-morrow. It is believed that the central and southern districts men will accept the advance, and that all the mines of Illinois will be working to their full capacity soon. The operators who attended the conference to-day said they were willing to make any reasonable concession to their men. They are in correspondence with John McBrat, President of the Miners' Union, and believe he will not offer any objections to the proposed settlement.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.
CHICAGO, Ill., May 23, 1894.
The REPUBLICAN is indebted to H. Z. Taylor, dealer in grain, provisions and furs, with correspondence in Chicago, New York, Minneapolis and St. Louis, for the following market quotations:
WHEAT CLOSE.
May, wheat, 54½, July, 56½, Sept., 57½, Dec., 60½.
CORN CLOSE.
May 57½, July, 58½, Sept., 59½.
OATS CLOSE.
May, 31, June, 31½, July, 31½, Sept., 29½.
PROVISIONS CLOSE.
Pork--May, \$11.75, July, \$11.87½, Sept., \$11.95.
Lard--May, \$6.00, July, \$6.00, Sept., \$6.00.
Hops--May, \$2.00, July, \$2.00, Sept., \$2.00.
Hog receipts 20,000, 5,000 more than estimated.
Market--lower. Light \$4.50, \$4.50, Mixed \$4.50, \$4.50, Heavy \$4.50, \$4.50, Rough \$4.50, \$4.50. Estimate 2,000.
Cattle receipts 15,000; market lower.
To-day's receipts--Cattle, 15,000.
Wheat all grades, 58. Estimated 25.
Oats all grades, 16. Estimated 160.
Minneapolis and Duluth get 200 cars of wheat to-day against 42 same day last year.
London, 1 p. m.--Carries off coast, wheat cheaper to sell; even nothing offering. On passage and for shipment wheat cheaper to sell; corn quiet but steady.
Liverpool, 1 p. m.--Wheat spot at opening, cheaper to sell; corn steady with a fair demand.
MARK LANE--Wheat quiet; corn steady.
The total clearance of wheat was 171,000 bushels. Flour 67,000 bbls, flour.

Letter List.

The following is a list of letters remaining on hand to-day at the Decatur, Ill. Republican office, May 23, 1894. Please say advertised when called for:

GENTS' LIST.
Andrews, Wesley G.
Beebe, J. H.
Boyd, J. W.
Baker, Almon
Cowan, Floyd (2)
Cameron, Orville
Cowan, Willie
Guthrie, O. L.
Molloy, C. E.
Mellik, Wale
LADIES' LIST.
Barnes, Mrs. Alice
Beckett, Miss Grace
Conner, Mrs. James
Foster, Julia
Fogarty, Miss Josie
Jones, Mrs. Rosa
Jones, Miss Vera
Katz, Mrs. Mary

FOREIGN.
Pike David.
J. T. HUBBARD, Postmaster.

DIED.

On May 20, of diphtheria, John, son of Mr. and Mrs. Marion Spencer, aged 8 years.

Dr. T. S. Hoskins, Dentist, Opera House Block, ground floor.
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And Elegant for
WEDDING PRESENTS
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Shall you do to save your ducats,
is the subject for debate.
Buy your Children's Clothing,
Buy your Boys' Clothing,
Buy your Men's Clothing,
Buy your Hats, Caps and Furnishings
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The People's Clothier.
Admission Free, and Bargains Distributed without reserve.
It makes no difference as to your creed, or what your
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C. J. BRYAN,
The People's Clothier,
Old Post Office Stand.

REMODELING
SALE.

I will begin in a short time a complete remodeling of my shoe store room. Before removing goods from shelves I propose to reduce the stock about one-half by offering goods at COST AND LESS. I will lose money, but must have room and cash at any cost. Will begin

TUESDAY, MAY 8, 1894.
Remember, this is no bluff. Am not closing out to quit business. Examine prices elsewhere and compare them with the prices I offer during this great sale of

Boots and Shoes.
Those who took advantage of my "Out for the Stuff" sale a few weeks ago know a cheap sale at Walter Hutchin's means BARGAINS FOR EVERYBODY. Goods all new and stylish. No shop-worn chestnuts. Call. All sales spot cash.

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THURSDAY, MAY 24, 1894.
Mr. CLEVELAND once remarked that a "public office is a public trust." So it seems the sugar trust.
It costs the taxpayers about \$160 a day for a boat and about \$1,000 a week for food for the president's fishing parties.
In making some excavations about the Washington monument at Trenton, N. J., a few days ago a cannon ball and a bayonet were found that were evidently used in that battle in the Revolutionary war.
The nomination of Maj. James A. Connelly for congress in this district by acclamation is assured, and the defeat of Wm. M. Springer as the logical result of this nomination is also well assured.

The sugar bounties cost Uncle Sam \$10,000 a year, and stimulated the production of sugar, and by the aid of free sugar made it cheap. The present policy is to tax the poor man's sugar \$40,000,000 a year.
CONGRESSMAN WILSON says he is unable to keep abreast of his tariff bill since it reached the senate. He is in much the same condition as the people. They have been unable to keep abreast of Democratic principles since they voted for a change.
It would not destroy as many windows as the recent hail storm did, but it would be refreshing to hear a real good Democratic speech of the vintage of 1892—one of those real puddings abounding with great fat sentences, salted with tears, about the robber barons and the taxes on the back of toil and the markets of the world.

The most misunderstood party that ever existed since the days when the Gibeonites deceived Joshua, is the Democratic party. It declared in 1892 that its policies would benefit the laboring man, the manufacturers and the general business of the country, and yet, at the present time, the manufacturers, the laboringmen, and the leading business experts of the country, refuse to believe a word of it.

The senate is investigating the reports that members of that body have been speculating in stocks affected by the frequent changes in the tariff bill affecting certain stocks, notably sugar, while Congressman McGinnis is proposing to investigate the causes of the present depression in the business of the country. While all this is going on Tom Reed is engaged in the business of preparing obituary notices of the Democratic party.

Coxeyism's Inglorious Collapse.
St. Louis Globe Democrat: The sentence of 20 days' imprisonment in the Washington jail on one charge and the infliction of a fine of \$5 on another sums up the punishment which has been meted out to Coxey, Browne and Christopher Columbus Jones. Is this the end of the great Commonwealth movement which was to sweep the whole country like a prairie fire, so to speak, and compel congress to legislate for the masses instead of the classes? Apparently it is. Does this mark the wind up of that grand expedition which started from Massillon many weeks ago with as in trepid a purpose and as business like an air as were displayed by Xenophon's Ten Thousand when setting out from Sardis to wipe the earth with the Persian Artaxerxes II? Seemingly these are the last of the Coxeyite legionaries who will come within reach of the Washington police.

What will the big revolutionists of the past—the earlier and grander Coxeyists—think of their degenerate descendants of the year 1894, if they are in a position to take a look in this direction? Fifty thousand soldiers and 200,000 special guards were assembled at London to prevent a demonstration announced by Feargus O'Connor, Ernest Jones and their fellow-Chartists, and half of England was in a panic; the Coxeyite entrance into Washington merely attracted a crowd of idle sight-seers to that city and set the country laughing. Wat Tyler was not subdued until he was killed; Coxey, in full sight of all his legions, was hustled off the capital steps by a policeman and taken into custody. The charge brought against Jack Cade was high treason and a price was set upon his head by the crown; the accusation against Coxey was walking on the capital grounds grass.

No such ludicrous disproportion between performances and promise as is shown in this Commonwealth imbecility appears anywhere else on history's page. It is true three or four "armies" and one or two "navies" are ostensibly swooping down on the national capital, but these gangs, through the commonplace agency of short rations and the police, will soon be resolved into their constituent elements of "bums" and "fracks." The

scaffold and the block will contemptuously "skip" all these conspirators. The Coxeyites threatened to precipitate the plebeians on the plutocrats in the same way that Peter the Hermit threw Europe on top of Asia, and the result of the promised revolution is set forth in this line in the Washington police court's blotter: "Twenty days' imprisonment and \$5 fine."

American Tin Plate.
Rochester Democrat and Chronicle: The Manufacturer, a Philadelphia publication, says: Under the wise provisions of the McKinley tariff about one-fourth of all the tin plate consumed by the American people is now produced in this country. The growth of this new industry has been so rapid in three years that there is no longer any doubt of the development here within a few years more of the ability upon the part of our mills to supply the whole of the domestic demand. This remarkable movement toward independence in the matter of the production of an article used more largely in the United States than in the whole of the rest of the world has been made without injury to the American consumers, for prices are now lower than they were five years ago.

Up to the close of 1892 each recurring quarterly report of Special Agent Ayer, of the Treasury Department, showed that this industry was making rapid progress. While it has not actually gone backward during the past year, the rate of its advance has been materially checked, owing to the general depression caused by tariff agitation. The pending bill will strike a blow at the home manufacture of tin-plate by making a large reduction of the duty on the imported article. This is indefensible, considering that the McKinley protective duty has demonstrated its power to develop the industry from an insignificant beginning to national dimensions. But the contemplated slaughter of the business of making tin-plate is only one item in the long count against the reformers who are spreading disaster and ruin by their meddling with the economic system of the Nation.

THERE is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address, F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c.

The announcement that Congressman Oates will win single handed in Alabama is well put. He lost his right arm in the confederate army in 1864.

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Having the needed merit to more than make good all the advertising claimed for them, the following four remedies have reached a phenomenal sale. Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Cough and Colds, each bottle guaranteed—Electric Bitters, the great remedy for Liver Stomach and Kidneys—Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the world, and Dr. King's New Life Pills, which are a perfect pill. All these remedies are guaranteed to do just what is claimed for them, and the dealer whose name is attached herewith will be glad to tell you more of them. Sold at King & Hubbard's drug store.

Coxeyism accomplished one great thing in Washington. It gave Senator Allen a chance to make one of his long, thin speeches.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.
The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For Sale By KING & HUBBARD.

If dull, spiritless and stupid; if your blood is thick and sluggish; if your appetite is capricious and uncertain. You need a Sarsaparilla. For best results take DeWitt's. It recommends itself. C. H. Dawson.

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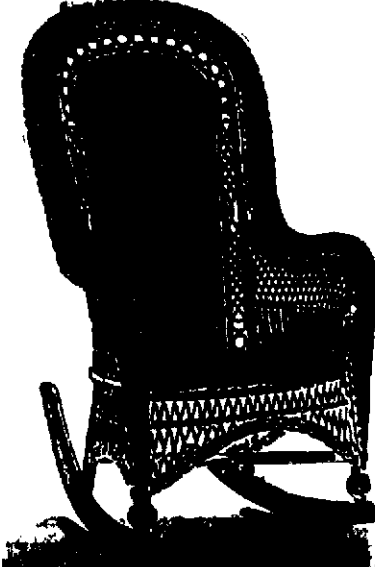
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Harris Cassimere (all wool) Sack or Frock.....	\$10 to \$13.50	Children's Suits.....	75c to \$4.00
Hairline, (all wool) Sack or Frock.....	\$10 to \$13.50	Children's Jersey Suits (all wool),.....	\$3.00 to \$5.00
Black Cheviot (all wool) Sack or Frock.....	\$8.50 to \$12	Boys' Odd Pants.....	50c to \$3.00
Business Suits.....	\$5 to \$12	Children's Knee Pants, ages 4 to 12,.....	15c to \$1.00
Dress Suits, (all wool),.....	\$8.50 to \$15	The Latest in Hats always in stock	
Dress Pants, (all wool),.....	\$2.00 to \$4.50	The Latest in Furnishing Goods always in stock	
Working Pants.....	75c to \$2.00	The Nobbyest line of Children's Caps in the city for 25c.	
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Many a message like this was sent
From hamlets and cities all over the land,
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LOCAL NEWS.

RUSSIAN corn cure at Irwin's.
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Irwin's royal dyspepsia cure is the
best remedy for indigestion.

Smoke none but the popular Little
Rose and Bouquet cigars. They are
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HAVE Grass to paint your house. Low-
est prices for best work.

TYLER is serving nice, cool, refreshing
drinks in those cool glasses.

FINE strawberries and good vegetables
at Philip Kemper's family grocery store,
757 North Water street.

BICYCLES TO RENT, DODD & SANNEK
Co., 153 Merchant St. apr18-dtf

Go to Henry Bros.' bakery for all
kinds of cakes, pies, etc. sept28-dtf

USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR.

The county Sunday school convention
will be held at the Methodist church in
Austin township probably the last week
in August.

Go to the Spencer & Lehman company
for wood pumps, iron pumps, force pumps,
and pump repairs. feb6-dwtf

ELEGANT berries, fine country butter
and good groceries at Philip Kemper's
store, 757 North Water street. Call
there.

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Don't fail to call on Towne & Mur-
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Choice berries every day.

To prevent car sickness or headache
and to give restful sleep, so difficult to
obtain while traveling, use Dr. Wheeler's
Nerve Vitalizer. Taken at bed-time it
quiets the tired nerves, insuring sweet
sleep. \$1 of C. H. Dawson.

THE Buyers' and Merchants' Benefit
Bureau saves you 4 per cent on your en-
tire living expenses. Call upon the man-
ager, L. Chodat and learn how. dec16-dtf

THE ladies of the Cumberland Presby-
terian church will meet Friday at 3 p.
m., at the home of Mrs. C. A. Smith, 469
W. Wood street. A full attendance is
desired.

W. A. HOLMAN, professional auctioneer
of all kinds of property. Ten years' ex-
perience. Terms reasonable. Orders by
mail, or left at the city clerk's office,
promptly attended to. 9dtf.

THE Spencer & Lehman company have
the exclusive agency for the celebrated
Troy Carriage company's surreys, also
for the Henney Buggy company's full
line of goods. A full assortment of
carriages, buggies, road wagons, etc.,
constantly on hand. Prices cheap and
work warranted. feb6-d5m

EVERY car belonging to the Illinois
Central system is to be painted a rich
dark green with gold trimmings, and in
the near future the old suit of yellow
will be discarded for the more sombre
but more lasting hue. The change has
been made principally to obtain a more
permanent color and one that will not
soil so quickly.

W. S. GREEN, who has been a cutter
in Decatur for the last forty years, and
was at Ehrman's for twenty years past,
has taken charge as cutter of the mer-
chant tailoring department of George
W. Jones & Co. All who know Mr.
Green need no comment on his skill and
experience. He will be glad to see all
his old friends. 14-tf

THE deceased was the owner of a farm
of 200 acres near Pana, and lately built
a new home on Condit street, this city.
He was a director in the Citizens' Mut-
ual Telephone company, and was the first
president of the local Medical Society.
He was a member of Grace Methodist
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He had served as chairman of the Re-
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View township, and while he was a re-
sident of West Baltimore, Ohio, he was
made postmaster at that town by Presi-
dent Lincoln. Throughout his pro-
fessional career Dr. Tobey enjoyed a
good practice and was generally recog-
nized as a competent physician. He was
widely known throughout Central Illi-
nois as a good man, and his death will
be sincerely mourned by all his ac-
quaintances.

Social this Evening.

This evening the annual May offering
social will be given of the Congrega-
tional church. Rev. W. C. Miller will be
chairman and Dr. James Bevens will act
as toastmaster. The following toasts
will be given:

"The Ladies' Aid Society," Mrs. W. R.
Buckmaster.

Response—Mrs. J. H. Bevens, Mrs.
Drinnan and Mrs. W. C. Miller.

"The Sunday School"—George R.
Bacon.

Response—E. P. Irving and George
Battles.

"The Endeavor Society"—T. L. Evans.

Response—Miss Clara Mitchell.

"The New Members"—Miss Pratt.

Response—James Lindsay.

"The Charter Members"—James Lind-
say.

Response—J. H. Bevens.

"The May Offering Social"—Howard
Schaub.

Response—Mrs. George R. Bacon.

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Out of Coal.

Get a Jewel gasoline or gas stove and
be independent. Gas or gasoline is lots
nicer than coal anyway. Call at Lytle
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DEATH OF DR. TOBEY.

Expired Suddenly at Blue Mound
To-Day—Heart Failure.

He Had Been a Resident of Macon County
Since 1869—Sketch of
His Life.

Decatur friends of the deceased were
shocked this forenoon to learn by wire
and telephone that Dr. Robert Tobey
had died suddenly this morning at 7:20
o'clock at the home of W. E. Newbegin at
Blue Mound, in the 67th year of his age.

The doctor was on his way to Taylor-
ville to testify in the county court in a
matter connected with the estate of the
late Rev. George McQualley, who died
last week in Mosquito township. Dr.
Harvey was wanted as a witness, but he
could not go and Dr. Tobey said he
would go in his place. He left on the
Wabash train this morning at 6:30 for
Taylorville, but he was feeling so badly
when he reached Blue Mound, his old
home, that he got off the train at that
point. He could hardly stand when he
reached the depot platform. He com-
plained of an intense pain in the region
of his heart. He was escorted by friends
to the home of W. E. Newbegin and
placed on a bed. Messengers were sent
out at once for Dr. Foster, but before he
arrived Dr. Tobey died. It was pro-
nounced to be a case of heart failure.

The startling announcement reached
Decatur at once, and as soon as possible
word was sent to Mrs. Tobey at her
home. Rev. C. G. Wood performed the
sad duty of informing the wife of her
loss. She was nearly distracted with
grief. Dr. Elmer Tobey, the son, was
also told of what had occurred, as soon
as possible.

Yesterday while the Doctor was at his
home carrying coal in a hod from the
basement he complained of a sharp
pain at his heart, and his wife told
him that he had better quit and let her
bring up the coal, but he refused to stop.
He rested as usual last night, and did
not complain when he left home for the
train.

The body was brought to Decatur at
noon, and was taken to the family re-
sidence, No. 262 East Condit street. No
arrangements have been made for the
funeral.

Robert Tobey was the senior member
of the medical firm of Tobey & Harvey,
and in March last completed a year's
service as county physician. The de-
ceased was born in Maryland, Feb. 20,
1828, and removed to Ohio when a boy,
located near Dayton, Montgomery
county. He attended the common
schools and pursued some of the higher
branches of learning under the instruc-
tion of a private instructor. He
began the study of medicine under
Dr. Krause, and attended lectures in
the Western Reserve College. He was
graduated from the Medical College at
Cincinnati, and ten years later he took a
further degree at Rush Medical College.
He began his practice in West Balti-
more, and for eleven years there fol-
lowed his profession. He practiced at
La Gro, Ind., for five years. In March,
1869, he came to Macon county, and had
since resided here. He began at Blue
Mound, and while there was associated
with Dr. J. G. Harvey. He also prac-
ticed his profession at Macon and at As-
sumption.

In 1850 Dr. Tobey married Miss B. A.
Potter. Five children were born to
them. They are Rev. C. F. Tobey, a
minister of the Methodist church, W.
W. and R. E. Tobey, dentists. Two
daughters, Belle F. and Jane M., are
married. The mother of the children is
dead. Some years later the doctor mar-
ried Miss Kate Cumrutt, of Indiana.
There is one daughter, Letta. The
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WEDDING BELLS.

Marriage of Harvey D. Truax and
Miss Rose Schoenle.

There was a brilliant and joyous home
wedding last evening at 8 o'clock at the
home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Barbara
Schoenle, East Wood street, when Mr.
Harvey D. Truax, only son of Mr. and
Mrs. W. A. Truax, of the Arcade Hotel,
and Miss Rose Schoenle, stood in the
presence of a large company of friends
and were united in marriage by Rev.
Father Lammert, of the St. James
German Catholic church. The Opera
House orchestra was present, and played
the Lohengrin Bridal chorus during the
ceremony. The house decorations were
in charming good taste. The attendants
were Joseph Schoenle and Miss Nannie
Truax. While congratulations were
being extended Mendelssohn's music was
rendered by the orchestra.

The bride was attired in a dove colored
gown of bengaline silk, full veil and car-
ried a bunch of bride's roses. Miss
Truax was in dotted swiss trimmed with
lace, and carried roses. The gifts were
numerous and beautiful, and included a
check for \$150 from the mother of the
bride.

An elegant wedding repast was served
for the 50 relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Truax left last night for
the north and west, going as far as
Kansas City, and will be at home to
friends at the Arcade Hotel after June 1.

The Republican extends warm con-
gratulations to the happy pair.

To Serve Strawberries.

The strawberry season is always too
short for the delicious home desserts of
the fruit and the various strawberry
luncheons, festivals and fairs to become
too common to anyone. Each year with
a zest everybody looks up old recipes
and tries all possible new dishes.

The fruit is presumably fashionable in
all circles. Mrs. Hayes once gave while
in the white house a luncheon to Wash-
ington young people of which they
talked for years. The table was laid in
white linen with a crimson carnation
beside her plate. Strawberry vines and
berries filled a low basket in the center
of the table. At either end stood tall
crystal dishes heaped with strawberries,
lightly sprinkled with powdered sugar.

After the salads, rolls, peas, crabs and
the usual dainty luncheon menu, straw-
berry shortcake with whipped cream
was served.

This was Mr. Crump's recipe:
Into one pint of flour put a large tea-
spoonful of baking powder and one-quarter
of a teaspoonful of salt. Sift thor-
oughly. Rub into the flour four large
tablespoonfuls of butter. Wet with a
teaspoonful of sweet milk. Bake quickly
in a hot oven. When well browned
spread with butter and berries, whole or
mashed, cover heavily with sugar and
serve hot, passing a pitcher of whipped
cream with the shortcake cut in cubes.

Another white house recipe for straw-
berry shortcake runs thus:

One quart of flour; three teaspoonfuls
yeast powder; one teaspoonful salt; half
cup but butter; one pint of sweet milk
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AFTER \$10,000 IN CASH.

Damage Suit Filed by Charles
Plake Against J. T. Damery
and Wife.

Among the suits commenced in the
circuit court to the June term of court
is that of Charles Plake, against James
T. Damery and wife, of Blue Mound.
The charge is malicious prosecution, and
the plaintiff asks for \$10,000 damages.
The plaintiff's attorneys are C. C. Le-
fargee and J. C. Lee. A year ago Plake
was placed under arrest for making an
alleged criminal assault upon Mrs. Naomi
Damery, the date of the assault said to
have been a year before the arrest. The
declaration sets forth that on August 9,
1893, James T. Damery appeared before
Justice W. W. Tidd, of the village of
Blue Mound, and caused to be issued a
warrant for the arrest of Plake, on the
charge mentioned, alleging that the as-
sault claimed had been committed on
October 1, 1892. By virtue of the war-
rant Plake was arrested on August 30th,
and was, he says, led handcuffed through
the streets of Decatur to the county
jail, next day being taken to Blue Mound,
where he had a hearing before Justice
Tidd, the defendants then and there ap-
pearing and falsely and maliciously tes-
tifying against him, with the result that
the justices held him in the sum of \$300
to await the action of the grand jury.
The plaintiff was then returned to the
county jail, where he was compelled to
remain until October 13, 1893. He fur-
ther charges that the defendants,
James T. Damery and Naomi Damery,
did appear before the September grand
jury in 1893 and falsely and maliciously
testify against him; that they failed to
secure an indictment for an assault
with intent to rape, but did induce the
grand jury to return an indictment
charging him with an unlawful assault
upon the person of Naomi Damery. The
complainant further declares that after
being in jail upwards of thirty days he
was led into court and by a jury fully
acquitted of the charge made against
him. Now his innocence having been
fully established, Plake declares that he
should be remunerated for the loss of
time and the stain sought to be put upon
his good name.

Bid Them Welcome.

R. J. Stratton, A. T. Summers and
Gus Ahrens are the soliciting committee
appointed by the Grand Order of the
Orient for the Oriental Fourth of July
celebration. They will begin on Friday
morning to interview all our business
men in view of having every branch of
business in Decatur represented by one
or more "floats" in the great Fourth of
July trades procession. There will also
be held on the evening of the Fourth
one of the greatest parades of Oriental
Princes ever witnessed, all in Oriental
costume and with the most elegant dis-
play of fireworks along the line of march
that has ever been gazed upon. We
trust our business men will heartily
welcome this committee and will put
their names on the subscription list
without holding them back. Let us
make the coming Fourth of July one
that will go down in history.

On EVAR I NEMPS.

Col. Moffett Will be Postmaster.

The postoffice fight at Monticello has
been compromised and the two contend-
ing candidates, D. G. Cantner and Chas.
Watts, have withdrawn from the field
and recommended Col. Thomas N.
Moffett. A petition signed by over 200
leading Democrats and prominent party
men was then sent to the president, ask-
ing that he appoint Col. Moffett. This
is endorsed by Col. John E. Andrew,
chairman of the central committee and
others. Col. Moffett served during the
war in Gen. Grant's regiment and was a
good soldier. He is an old time Demo-
crat.

Notice.

For the accommodation of my numer-
ous friends who will not permit anyone
else to do their barbering, I can be found
at No. 102 East Prairie street, upstairs
over music store. I have leased the
room temporarily until the furniture
arrives for my new shaving palace which
will be ready for business in a few days.
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WILLIAM REDMOND
one of the players, under the direction
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THREE
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BOLD BANK ROBBERY.

And a General Fight Between Robbers and Citizens.

TWO MEN KILLED AND FIVE WOUNDED.

The Gang Get Off with Their Booty, Amounting to Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars, Closely Pursued by a Sheriff's Posse.

LONGVIEW, Tex., May 24.—Four bold robbers made a daylight raid on the First national bank of this city yesterday, securing about \$2,500. A general fight between the robbers and citizens ensued, in which two persons were killed and several injured. The killed are: George Buckingham, of Longview, who was firing upon the robbers. George Bennett, one of the robbers. The injured are: City Marshal Muckleroy, shot in the abdomen; may not recover. Charles Leonard, a bystander, shot in the leg, which had to be amputated. J. W. McQueen, one of the attacking party of citizens; cannot recover. T. C. Summers, of Longview; flesh wound in side; also shot in head. T. E. Clemmons, cashier of the First national bank; shot in the hand.

At just about the closing hour yesterday afternoon, while Cashier Thomas Clemmons was getting ready to remove the cash from the counter to the vault, two roughly-dressed men, both heavily armed, entered the bank. The only persons in the bank at the time were the cashier and President Joseph Clemmons of the bank. One of the men approached the cashier and after a moment's conversation quickly pulled two revolvers from his pockets and ordered him to hold up his hands. The other man had, in the meantime, walked carelessly around toward the side door of the counting room, and, acting simultaneously with his accomplice, made a leap for President Clemmons, and throwing him to the floor, pinioned him there.

The cashier by this time had his hands up, and Robber No. 1, covering him with a revolver in one hand, emptied the coin and bills from the till into his pockets. The amount secured was about \$2,500.

While this was going on the other members of the gang, who were in an open space in the rear of the building, had aroused the suspicions of City Marshal Muckleroy, who happened to be near, and that officer started for help. The two immediately opened fire on him, one ball striking him in the abdomen, bringing him to the ground, probably mortally wounded. The shooting quickly drew a crowd from the stores near the bank building. George Buckingham, a merchant of this place, fired at the robbers, wounding one of them in the face, but he was instantly killed by a bullet from the revolver of one of the men who had been drawn from their work inside the bank by the shooting. The quartette made a break for their horses, firing at the crowd as they ran. One fell dead from a bullet fired by one of the attacking party, but the others escaped apparently unhurt.

Despite the uncertain aim of the fleeing robbers, three of the citizens' party were wounded, one, J. W. McQueen, a saloon keeper, fatally. The injuries of Leonard and Clemmons will not prove serious.

The robber who held up the cashier was recognized by several people as John M. Jones, a well-known character in this city. The dead robber is believed to be George Bennett, who was well known here several years ago, but left because of some trouble he got into. The other members of the gang were not recognized.

President Clemmons, of the bank, at once offered a reward of \$500 for the capture of the bandits, dead or alive, and an additional reward of \$300 was offered by business men of the town. The robbers had hardly disappeared from view when a posse was formed, horses were secured and the chase was begun.

They were heard from last evening, and were close upon the desperadoes. If the latter are captured, it is not thought likely that they will be brought back here at once for fear of lynching.

OHIO COAL OPERATORS

Meet in State Convention at Columbus for More Thorough Organization.

COLUMBUS, O., May 24.—About sixty operators of coal mines in Ohio responded to the call for a state convention here yesterday afternoon. The convention was held behind closed doors, and the operators were careful to say very little in detail about what was done. H. L. Chapman, of this city, presided, and Frank Brooks, the secretary, of the association, was secretary of the convention.

W. P. Bonney, of Pittsburgh, representing the W. L. Scott & Co. coal interests, was also present. He explained that the press reports as to what was done at the Pittsburgh conference of operators were not correct. No definite action was taken. A motion was made that not more than sixty-nine cents per ton should be paid. This was amended making it not less than sixty-five cents per ton. Then the motion was tabled.

After the convention adjourned it was announced that the operators had put the whole matter, so far as the Ohio operators were concerned, in the hands of a committee, consisting of J. S. Morton, H. L. Chapman, C. L. Morris, J. L. Conright, J. H. Zerbe and A. G. Blair. They professed to believe that the strike would be over in two weeks and mentioned June 5 as the date when work would probably be resumed, but declined to state upon what terms or on what they based the prediction.

Reports from half a hundred local organizations to President John McBride,

received yesterday, show that the miners are still firm.

President McBride stated yesterday that on behalf of the United Miners he had offered to stand any loss that operators might suffer in case the advance in wages demanded were allowed on contracts made since the wage reduction. This was made directly to operator Dearnit, of the Turtle Creek (Pa.) mines, who made the fact that he had thus contracted 350,000 tons his chief reason for refusing to concede an advance in wages, but he refused it.

President McBride said he estimated that if his proposition had been accepted it would cost the United miners \$200,000.

MOVED ON THE MINERS.

But Met a Determined Resistance—Five Hundred Harmless Shots Fired.

DANVILLE, Ill., May 24.—Twelve hundred miners, mostly French and Belgians, held a mass meeting, yesterday morning, half a mile west of this city, and after an exciting debate, decided to move on the Missionfield mines for the purpose of attacking the miners at work. The mines were guarded by deputy sheriffs, and preparations were made for a warm reception of the strikers. The miners were well armed with revolvers and staves, and obtained plenty of ammunition from the hardware stores in the city. In a wagon which accompanied the marchers, were rifles belonging to the Hungarian guards of the Kellyville mines, an organization composed of new immigrants and commanded by a drill master who had completed a term of service in the Hungarian army.

Many of the miners were intoxicated before their departure, and they were well supplied with liquor in flasks and jugs when the command to march was given. For this reason a serious conflict was looked for.

When the army arrived at Missionfield they commenced operations by setting up a tremendous yell and began shooting in the air. The deputies, however, held their ground, and the mob, after firing 500 shots without doing any damage, retired to a camping ground a mile from the mines.

Last night they were joined by a number of the Missionfield miners and a conference was held. A report is current that the Missionfield men have agreed to come out, the demonstration of the strikers having had sufficient weight to influence them in this direction. The company is apprehensive that damage will be done to the property on account of the drunken condition of the mob.

THE THREATENED INVASION

Of Leavenworth, Kan., by Striking Coal Miners to be Repelled by Force of Arms, if Necessary.

LEAVENWORTH, Kan., May 24.—Ample preparations are making by the city and county authorities to repel the threatened invasion of Missouri striking coal miners. Yesterday afternoon a mass meeting of citizens was held, at which Mayor Dodsworth presided. After the meeting the mayor and the United States marshal went to Quintrell, Wyandotte county, where the strikers are said to be, to request them not to come to Leavenworth.

Sheriff Rothenburg has sworn in 400 deputies, who will be armed with Winchester rifles and marched to the county line. If the strikers, who number 200, persist in advancing the sheriff will fall back until the city limits are reached, when a determined stand will be taken, and, if necessary, the deputies will be ordered to fire on the strikers.

A REGULAR BATTLE

Between Striking Miners and Those at Work—Several Wounded, Some Fatally.

OAKLAND CITY, Ind., May 24.—Two hundred and fifty striking miners marched from Washington, Ind., to Little's, seven miles north of here, yesterday morning, armed with 100 Winchester rifles and one wagon load of ammunition and provisions sufficient to last them thirty days and camped at the mines. Yesterday afternoon in a battle between the striking miners and those at work in Little's mines a number were wounded, two fatally. Six deputy sheriffs were disarmed and put to flight.

Serious trouble is feared. A company of state militia is in readiness at Evansville to start at call for the mining regions. Five men came to this city at 7 o'clock last night presumably to watch the movements of the militia, but they refuse to say anything.

A FIGHT IMMINENT

Between Striking Miners and Workmen Who Refuse to Strike.

WALSHEBURG, Col., May 23.—The miners at the Walsenburg mine went to-day evidently under fear of trouble if they refused. The Rouse miners are angry and now declare emphatically that they will not be intimidated and will not strike. A larger guard has been placed at Picton mine in anticipation of trouble. The Coal Creek miners are tramping along over the hills through the heavy rain storms determined to drive out all working miners. They are armed with guns and clubs and are made up largely of Italians and Austrians. They will reach House about Friday morning.

Trouble Can Hardly be Averted.

OTTUMWA, Ia., May 23.—One thousand miners are encamped at Muchakinock, determined to bring out 200 men. Trouble can hardly be averted, as the men are armed and fully determined to remain at work. There is a coal supply on hand to last for a week, and the factories will then begin to shut down. All coal workers but about 100 in this city are out.

Emptied all the Coal on the Tracks.

LA SALLE, Ill., May 24.—The coal strike situation is getting serious here. More depredations were committed here yesterday by the anarchist element of the miners. A mob of 200 assembled at the Illinois Central depot and emptied all the coal from the chutes out on the track. It was necessary to call the sheriff to disperse the mob.

THE DAY IN CONGRESS.

Senator Gorman's Great Speech in the Senate.

IN SUPPORT OF THE TARIFF MEASURE.

And Defense of the Democratic Position—Little Progress Made with the Bill—More Rapid Progress Made in the House.

SENATE.

WASHINGTON, May 23.—Only two pages of the tariff bill were disposed of by the senate today. The twenty-fifth page of the bill was reached—leaving 500 more to be got over before the end is attained. The paragraphs on the action was taken to-day were numbered 117, 121 and included railway bars, sheets of iron or steel, including taggers iron, and the same excluding taggers iron. The paragraph fixing the duty on the plates at 1 cent per pound was pending at the time of adjournment. The feature of the day was the speech made by Senator Gorman (dem. Md.) in support of the bill and in defense of the democratic position upon it. He declared that it had received the approval of the majority of the senate. Democratic senators could, therefore, regard with complacency the frequent charges of inconsistency and hypocrisy on the part of the other side. Referring, as they did, that they had a majority pledged to the measure, they could well afford not merely to contemplate the abortive attempt of the other side to disrupt their organization, but even to throw the mantle of charity over the wild misrepresentations of rabid partisanship. The Wilson bill as it passed the house could not, he said, have received a majority of the votes of the senate, and therefore the finance committee had before it the task of re-constructing a bill that would not only get a majority vote in the senate, but would also pass the house and receive the approval of the president of the United States.

It was constructed on the democratic theory of a tariff for revenue, with such incidental protection as could be given consistently to the industries of the country. It was not a free trade measure; not a tariff for the sake of protection; not a tariff to protect the tariff; but the most logical, the most fair the most broad, the most timely and would prove to be the most advantageous tariff legislation enacted since the republican party sprang into existence.

He denied indignantly the insinuation that the interests of trusts had been favored in the bill, and pointed out that the protection which the Lead trust, the Steel Rail trust and the Sugar trust received under the existing law was very largely reduced by the bill. And as to the income tax, he had given his assent to it only as an emergency measure.

He declared that from this time on the plans for further delay relied on the republican side, and that any belief that the bill could be defeated was an hallucination. The speech received the closest and most respectful attention of both sides of the chamber and was applauded by the galleries. Brief replies were made to it by republican senators.

A motion to lay the bill on the table was defeated. The senate adjourned at 4 p. m.

HOUSE.

Waiting only to pass two unimportant bills, the house to-day, in committee of the whole, plunged into consideration of the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill, being the fourth day devoted thereto. More rapid progress was made than on any previous day, and when the committee rose at 5 o'clock fifty-five pages had been passed over. There was a continuation of the discussion of the debt service commission at the beginning, and later a brief discussion to the same subject occurred. As a result of the discussion of that subject, the committee struck out all reference to the commission except the appropriation for traveling expenses.

Mr. Call said he inferred that it was the desire of the committee that the commission should go. The provision that clerks to be employed temporarily in building up to date the statistics in the accounting branch of the treasury department should be within the classified service was also stricken out. The salary of the registrar of the treasury, reduced by the committee on appropriations from \$4,000 to \$3,500 a year, on motion by Mr. Richard, restored to the former figure.

The appropriation for the payment of the legislature of the territory of Oklahoma was increased, on motion by Mr. McKim, to \$50,000 for the appointment of the Cherokee strip (said by Delegate Flynn to contain now 100,000 people) into streets for legislative purposes by which the bill will have representation in the legislature to be chosen next fall.

A BOLD ATTEMPT

At Criminal Assault Successfully Resisted by a Weak Girl.

TEANECKA, Ark., May 24.—At 1 o'clock yesterday morning while all the family were asleep, a negro, whose identity is still unknown, entered the sleeping apartment of Miss Georgia Harwell, in the Rose Hill suburb, seized her while asleep, and placing his hand over her mouth, bore her out of the house to a point about 100 yards distant, where he made a determined effort to criminally assault her.

Though only 16 years old and small for her age, the young lady fought her assailant with all her strength, but would undoubtedly have been overcome by the brute's superior strength had not the approaching footsteps of some one frightened him so that he let go his hold upon her and fled.

The officers were at once notified, and upon information of the young woman, Joe Williams, colored, was arrested and taken before her. While she said she was almost positive that he was the man, doubt was thrown on this opinion, because she says that in the struggle she bit one of her assailant's fingers, and none of Williams' fingers show any marks. He is in jail, however, to await further developments.

In the struggle with the black brute Miss Harwell was badly choked, and her throat is now black and swollen. One of her hands and arms are badly scratched, and the negro also hit her in a savage manner on one side of her body. Public indignation runs high, and if the identity of the would-be rapist is established and his capture follows, he will surely be lynched.

The Chicago Post Office Site.

WASHINGTON, May 24.—Postmaster Hering of Chicago yesterday appeared before the house committee on public buildings and grounds in connection with the selection of a site for the Chicago public building. Mr. Hering spoke in favor of a new building on the site of the old one. The committee took no action, but adjourned until to-day, when they expect to settle the matter.

When Customs Duties to be Paid in Gold. LONDON, May 24.—Advisers from Chile say the government has ordered all customs duties paid in gold.

TELEGRAPHIC NOTES.

—M. Bourgeois has been asked by President Carnot of France to form a cabinet.

—Gen. Hastings was yesterday nominated for governor of Pennsylvania by acclamation.

—Col. Brockbridge said to an interviewer yesterday that he expected to be re-nominated and re-elected to congress.

—J. K. Meredith, a well-known mechanical engineer, of Pittsburgh, Pa., committed suicide by shooting himself through the head.

—The president and party arrived at Norfolk, Va., from North Carolina at 9 a. m. yesterday, and left for Washington at noon.

—To-day Queen Victoria celebrates her seventy-fifth birthday. She was born May 24, 1819, and succeeded to the throne June 20, 1837.

—The Salvation army is to build an eighty-story headquarters in New York. The building is to be erected in the feudal style modernized.

—The trial by court-martial of Lieut. Maney, on charges growing out of the killing of Capt. Hedberg, began at Fort Snelling, Minn., yesterday.

—An investigation by the house naval committee of the armor-plate frauds began to-day by a subcommittee of five members—three democrats and two republicans.

—Rev. Isaac N. Hays, D. D., of the Westminster Presbyterian church of Allentown, died at his residence in that city at 7:30 a. m. yesterday, as the result of a stroke of paralysis Tuesday morning.

—William Scott is in jail at London, Ky., for the murder of John Collins, whom he accused of having seduced his wife, and who was returned to her father's because of her husband's abuse.

—Col. Frederick G. Skinner, one of the editors of Turf, Field and Farm died Tuesday night at Charlottesville, Va. He was a proponent of Lafayette, by whom he was taken to France and educated.

—The Newmarket stakes of \$500,000 were won yesterday by Lord Rosebery's Ladass. Mr. Douglas Ball's St. Florian was second and Mr. Daniel Cooper's Glare third.

—On Tuesday night John Crow started from Van Wert, O., for Michigan to secure the release of John Nimmman, his brother-in-law, who is serving a life sentence in the Michigan state prison for the supposed murder of Crow.

—The house committee on claims ordered favorably reported the bill authorizing the postmaster general to credit ex-Postmaster Sexton of Chicago with \$3,750 for postal funds stolen from the Chicago postoffice in December, 1893.

—The two-masted schooner Emma L. Nelson, which left Milwaukee last Thursday, has not been heard from since, and is believed to have either been lost during the storm or hauled somewhere along the shores of Lake Michigan.

—By the bursting of her balloon at Odell, Ill., Tuesday, Josephine Baraboo, the aeronaut, fell 800 feet with lightning rapidly until within seventy-five feet of the ground, when the parachute opened, breaking the fall. She was terribly injured, but will recover.

—The physician in attendance upon Mr. Gladstone reports that the latter has a return of the cold from which he suffered recently and Dr. Nettleship will not attempt to poultice up Mr. Gladstone's eye until Dr. Bond has declared his patient in good health.

—Miss S. Watson, the publisher of the Toledo (O.) Sunday Globe, was yesterday sentenced by Judge Millard to pay a fine of \$50 and costs, amounting to \$75, and fifteen days in the workhouse for publishing a libelous article concerning a saloon kept by one Adolph Major.

—The Liberal Religion congress at Chicago yesterday took up the question of what women ought to do in uniting the culture and religious forces of society. Rev. Caroline C. Bartlett, of Kalamazoo, Mich., presented a paper upon the subject, which was discussed by several delegates.

—James Thomas, alias "Buckskin Jimmie," a once wealthy Denver merchant, but now a pauper has been arrested on charge of attempted train-wrecking. He was caught in the act of placing a timber across the Colorado track at a gully, near Denver. He is regarded as a desperado.

—At a meeting in Lexington, Ky., Tuesday evening, of the Confederate Veterans' association and its auxiliary, Mrs. A. M. Harrison, a member of the auxiliary, and the wives of other leading and wealthy citizens, made addresses, and said they would not place a flower on the grave of a single confederate unless the association expelled Col. Brockbridge.

The meeting adjourned amid confusion.

AN UGLY MOB

Attempt to Kill a Blacksmith, Who is Rescued by the Burgess and Citizens.

LATROBE, Pa., May 24.—Early yesterday morning about 1,800 of the strikers camped near Bradenville coal works, came to Latrobe and soon the barrooms were all crowded. As the miners began to fill up with liquor they became ugly. A blacksmith from the Whitney works, who was under the influence of liquor, made a remark which aroused their ire. He was immediately seized, and was being dragged from town when he was rescued by the burgess and citizens. They swore they would kill him and during the melee revolvers and knives were flashed to view.

Shortly before noon Deputy Burgess Weaver closed all the bars. Everything is quiet now, most of the mob having returned to camp.

Supt. Jones of the Latrobe coal works has posted bills for new miners. If they can be secured he will start up in a few days.

Gen. Sanders and His Commonwealth.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 24.—When "Gen." Sanders and his army of the Commonwealth are liberated at Leavenworth, they will make the trip down the Missouri river on a flat boat. Members of the industrial council across the line in Kansas City, Kan., who have been in correspondence with Sanders, are making arrangements to supply the army with provisions enough to last until they reached St. Louis. The army will only stop in Kansas City, Kan., long enough to take the provisions on board.

The Work of Incendiarists.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., May 24.—An incendiary fire, supposed to have been in revenge for sending Mansfield valley rioters to jail, completely destroyed the Schutt Coal Co.'s store, at Bridgeville, yesterday morning.

Rumors that such a thing would happen had been heard, but not credited. The loss is small, only \$2,500; but it has aroused the owners of other buildings, coal tipples, etc., to take steps to protect their property, which has also been threatened with destruction.

Was it the Same Crow?

VAN WERT, O., May 24.—The correspondent of the United Press can find no trace of John Crow, for whose alleged murder John Nimmman is doing a life sentence. There was a William Crow, who came here from Hocking county, O., eleven years ago. He bought a farm in Hocking township, seven miles north of town. He got into trouble with a woman and mysteriously disappeared in 1883. He was a married man, about 45 years old. Nothing has since been heard of him.

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All our Capes and Jackets to be sold regardless of cost or value.

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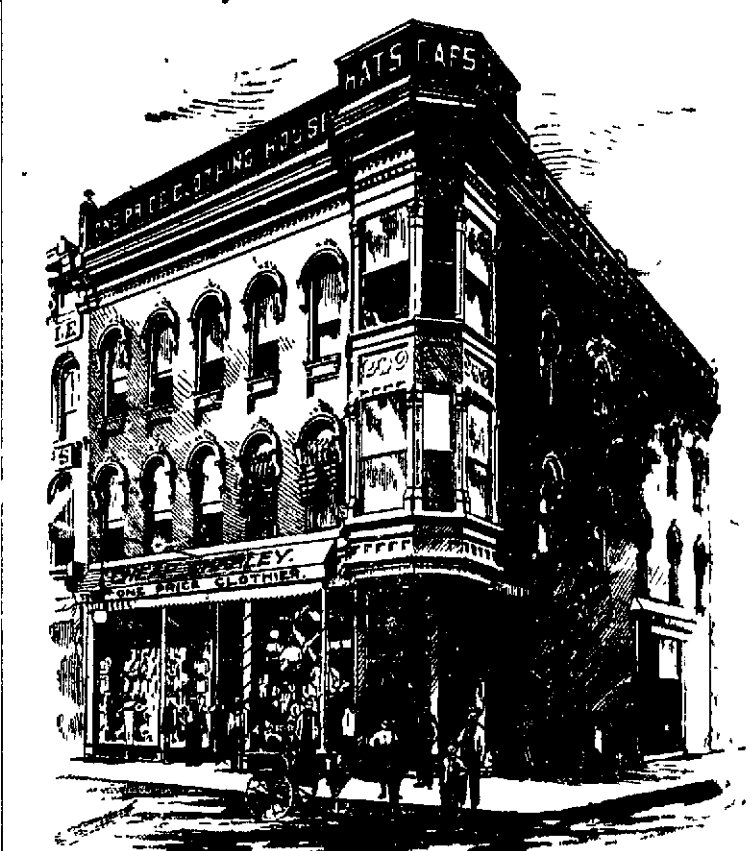
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The Tariff Fight

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CHEAP CHARLEY.

GUILTY AS CHARGED.

James Murray, the Murderer of Edgar Fitzwilliam.

FOUND GUILTY BY THE TRIAL JURY

Of Murder in the First Degree, in Accordance with the Judge's Instructions—A Fatal Crime to be Legally Avenged.

St. Louis, May 24.—The trial of Jas. Murray, a negro, charged with the murder of Edgar Fitzwilliam on a car on the Midland Electric railroad, in St. Louis county, about a half mile west of the limits of St. Louis, on September 23, 1893, was concluded yesterday afternoon in the St. Louis county circuit court at Clayton.

After the testimony for the prosecution had been given, and the attorney for the defense had declared that he had no more to examine, Judge Hitzel read his instructions to the jury. He instructed them to find a verdict for murder in the first degree, as charged in the indictment, or to find the defendant not guilty as charged. His instructions were lengthy, and all those who were heard express opinions thought they were fair to the defendant.

At 2 o'clock prosecuting Attorney Mudd began his address to the jury. He spoke twenty minutes and reviewed only the evidence of Miss Scheuble, which, he said, was positive proof of the guilt of the man in the prisoner's box.

Oscar J. Mudd, attorney for Murray, addressed the jury, speaking one hour and ten minutes. His address was one of the best and most forcibly ever delivered before a jury in the county. His appeal on behalf of the doomed man was earnest and eloquent.

Prosecuting Attorney Mudd closed the arguments, speaking forty-five minutes. He reviewed most of the testimony.

At 4:17 o'clock the jury were sent to their room in charge of Deputy Sheriff Ed Hencken. At 4:55 o'clock they marched into the court room. Judge Hitzel read the verdict, which was as follows:

We the jury find the defendant, James Murray, guilty of murder in the first degree, as charged in the indictment.

The name of each jurymen was called by Judge Hitzel and each was asked if that was his verdict, to which each answered "yes."

The jury was discharged and the court adjourned until 1 o'clock this morning.

Ed Murray, brother of the convicted man, who is under indictment for complicity in the murder of Edgar Fitzwilliam is now in the Clayton jail and will be tried next month.

ALABAMA DEMOCRACY

Nominate a State Ticket and Promulgate a Declaration of Principles.

MOBILE, Ala., May 24.—The convention recessed until 3 p. m. and reassembling on the second ballot nominated Joe Turner for superintendent of education. H. D. Lane, president of the agricultural commission was re-nominated. The executive committee for the next two years was then announced and ratified. The committee on resolutions and platform offered the following, which was adopted:

The democracy of Alabama in convention assembled, reaffirm the principles of the democratic party as declared in the platform of our party at Chicago in 1892, and congratulate the country upon the success of those principles in the triumphant election of Grover Cleveland, who, by his generous treatment of our people has shown that he is the president of the whole country, knowing no north or south or east or west. Recognizing the wisdom and the patriotism of our president and believing in his fidelity to the principles of our party, we endorse his administration. While matters of policy we are agreed in the belief that he is impelled by motives of the highest patriotism and by an unselfish devotion to the highest good of the whole people. While there are differences of opinion among us in matters of detail we will believe in the free range of silver whenever it can be done consistently with the maintenance of a sound and safe currency. We earnestly urge upon our senators and representatives in congress the speedy adoption of the tariff and the speedy repeal of the 10 per cent tax on the issue of state banks.

Seized the Train and Were Held Ransom.

OMAHA, Neb., May 24.—A dispatch received at the Union Pacific headquarters says an attempt was made yesterday morning near Rockwell, Idaho, to capture a Union Pacific train by fifty commonwealthers. The men succeeded in getting on the train but the cars containing them were sidetracked. The train crews have orders to sidetrack cars containing the industrialists.

The Papers of Emile Henri.

PARIS, May 24.—Judge Meyer Tuesday took possession of various papers which the anarchist Emile Henri left in the cell in the La Roquette prison. The papers will be carefully read by the judge, who expects that they will be very useful in future examinations of anarchists.

Baseball.

The following games were played yesterday:

At Chicago—Pittsburgh 10 Chicago 9.

At Boston—New York 15 Boston 4.

At Brooklyn—Brooklyn 5 Baltimore 1.

Col. Meeker's Appointment.

BREITEN, May 24.—The Kreuz Zeitung says that U. S. Meeker has been appointed deputy governor of German East Africa, the appointment to take effect June 1.

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At 4:17 o'clock the jurymen were sent
 to their room in charge of Deputy Sher-
 iff Ed Hencken. At 4:55 o'clock they
 marched into the court room. Judge
 Hirzel read the verdict, which was as
 follows:

We the jury, find the defendant,
 James Murray, guilty of murder in
 the first degree, as charged in the in-
 dictment.

The name of each jurymen was
 called by Judge Hirzel, and each was
 asked if that was his verdict, to which
 each answered "yes."

The jury was discharged and the
 court adjourned until 9 o'clock this
 morning.

Ed Murray, brother of the convicted
 man, who is under indictment for com-
 plicity in the murder of Edgar Fitzwil-
 liam is now in the Clayton jail, and
 will be tried next month.

ALABAMA DEMOCRACY

Commence a State Ticket and Promulgate
 a Declaration of Principles.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., May 24.—The
 convention recessed until 8 p. m., and
 reassembling, on the second ballot
 nominated Joe Burner for superintendent
 of education. H. D. Lane, president
 of the agricultural commission, was re-
 nominated. The executive committee
 for the next two years was then an-
 nounced and ratified. The committee on
 resolutions and platform offered the
 following, which was adopted:

The democracy of Alabama in con-
 vention assembled, reaffirm the prin-
 ciples of the democratic party as de-
 clared in the platform of our party at
 Chicago in 1892, and congratulate the
 country upon the success of those prin-
 ciples in the triumphant election of Gro-
 ver Cleveland, who, by his generous
 treatment of our people, has shown that
 he is the president of the whole coun-
 try, knowing no north, no south, no
 east, no west. Recognizing the wis-
 dom and the patriotism of our presi-
 dent and believing in his fealty to
 the principles of our party, we
 endorse his administration. While
 some of us may differ with him
 in matters of policy, we are
 agreed in the belief that he is im-
 partial, the motives of the highest patri-
 otism, an unselfish devotion to the
 good of the whole people.
 There are differences of opinion
 in matters of detail, we all
 agree in the free coinage of silver,
 and it can be done consistently
 with the maintenance of a sound
 currency. We earnestly urge upon
 the senators and representatives in
 congress the policy of reform of the
 tariff and the speedy repeal of the 10
 percent tax on the issue of state banks.

Saved the Train and Were Sidetracked.
 OMAHA, Neb., May 24.—A dispatch
 received at the Union Pacific head-
 quarters says an attempt was made
 yesterday morning near Beckwith,
 Neb., to capture a Union Pacific train
 by fifty commonwealers. The men
 succeeded in getting on the train, but
 the cars containing them were side-
 tracked. The train crews have orders
 to sidetrack cars containing the indus-
 trials.

The Papers of Emilie Henri.
 PARIS, May 24.—Judge Meyer Tues-
 day took possession of various papers
 when the anarchist Emilie Henri left
 to see cell in the La Roquette prison.
 The papers will be carefully read by
 the judge, who expects that they will
 be very useful in future examinations
 of anarchists.

Baseball.
 The following games were played
 yesterday.
 Pittsburg, 10, Chicago, 9.
 Boston, 12, New York, 11.
 Brooklyn, 5, Baltimore, 4.
 Col. Hoepfner's Appointment.
 BRUNN, May 24.—The Kreuz Zeitung
 says that Col. Hoepfner has been ap-
 pointed deputy governor of German
 East Africa, the appointment to take
 effect June 1st.

THAT'S WHAT KNOCKS! PRICES!

Crowds upon crowds turned away Saturday. Come during the
 week and get properly fitted.

MY LOSS YOUR GAIN!

Edwin Clapp's Hand Sewed Shoes---Retail Price, \$6.00; Cost Price, \$4.50;
CLOSING OUT PRICE, \$3.50.

John Kelly Hand Made Women's \$5.00 Shoes, \$3.00 and \$3.25.

SEE?

Men's Working Shoes at the price of the soles and heels, **\$1.10.**
 Congress, Buckle or Lace, no difference.

I will "REMODEL" prices on Women's Oxford hand turned, narrow, square, genu-
 ine Dongola. Former prices \$1.50; now **\$2c.**

W. F. BUSHNER,

The Pioneer Shoe Merchant of Decatur.

Marvelous Results.

From a letter written by Rev. J. Gun-
 derson, of Diamondale, Mich., we are
 permitted to make this extract: "I have
 no hesitation in recommending Dr.
 King's New Discovery, as the results
 were almost marvelous in the case of my
 wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist
 church at Rives Junction she was
 brought down with Pneumonia succeed-
 ing La Grippe. Terrible paroxysms of
 coughing would last hours with little in-
 terruption, and it seemed as if she could
 not survive them. A friend recommended
 Dr. King's New Discovery; it was quick
 in its work and highly satisfactory in re-
 sults. Trial bottle free at King & Hub-
 bard's drug store. Regular size, 50c and
 \$1.00.

HERR KORHAY, the composer of Hun-
 garian folk songs, has been appointed to
 the professorship of singing in the Royal
 Academy of Music, London.

What's the Use of Talking
 About colds and coughs in the summer
 time? You may have a tickling cough
 or a little cold, or baby may have the
 croup, and when it comes you ought to
 know that Parke's Cough Syrup is the
 best cure for it. Sold by W. F. Neisler.

MISS BAKER, who is a professor of
 Greek and Latin, Simpson College, Ind.,
 is only 32. When 14 years old she trans-
 lated one of the plays of Aeschylus.

RUDY'S PILE SUPPOSITORY is
 guaranteed to cure Piles and Constipa-
 tion, or money refunded. 50 cents per
 box. Seal stamp for circular and free
 sample to LARLIN RUDY, Lancaster,
 Pa. For Sale by W. A. Dixon & Co.,
 Druggists, Decatur, Ill.

A PORTRAIT of Emily Bronte, the only
 one known, has recently been discovered
 and will soon be engraved for publica-
 tion.

DEWITT'S Sarsaparilla is prepared for
 cleansing the blood from impurities and
 disease. It does this and more. It
 builds up and strengthens constitutions
 impaired by disease. It recommends it-
 self. C. H. Dawson.

RUDYARD KIPLING has been well re-
 ceived in England. They love him at
 home for the enemies he has made.

Why Don't You
 Use Parke's Tea for headache, constipa-
 tion and "that tired feeling." It purifies
 the blood, beautifies the complexion,
 acts upon the sluggish liver and moves
 the bowels every day. Only herbs and
 plants, safe, sure and pleasant. Sold by
 W. F. Neisler.

A WASHINGTON sculptor is making a
 bust of J. S. Coxey. The latter, however,
 is not cutting much of a figure at present.

SOMETHING wrong when you tire too
 easily. Something wrong when your
 skin is not clear and smooth. Some-
 thing wrong when the blood is impure.
 Everything right when you take De-
 Witt's Sarsaparilla. It recommends it-
 self. C. H. Dawson.

THERE are now published in the United
 Kingdom 2,061 magazines.

PURE blood means good health. Re-
 inforce it with DeWitt's Sarsaparilla. It
 purifies the blood, cures Eruptions,
 Eczema, Scrofula and all diseases arise
 from impure blood. It recommends it-
 self. C. H. Dawson.

A Big Cut!

A cut in Furniture isn't an
 altogether pleasant occur-
 rence for the housewife, as it
 means mischief, but with us it
 means a reduction of price.

The prices we are making
 on the largest line of
**Furniture, Carpets and
 Stoves**

in the city are remarkably low. An inspection will
 prove it to you.

Cash or Easy Payments.

G. W. Scovill,

211, 213 and 215 South Side City Park,
 Complete House Furnisher on E Z Payments.

W. L. DOUGLAS
\$3 SHOE
 GENUINE
 WELT.
 Comfortable, Bottom Waterproof. Best Shoe sold at the price.
 \$5, \$4 and \$3.50 Dress Shoes.
 \$3.50 Police Shoes 3 Soles.
 Best Walking Shoe ever made.
 \$2.50, and \$2 Shoes,
 Unequaled at the price.
 Boys \$2 & \$1.75 School Shoes.
 Are the Best in Service.
LADIES
 \$3, \$2.50, \$2, \$1.75.
 Best Dongola, St. Louis, Perfect
 Fitting and Serviceable. Wear
 in the world. All styles.
 Insist upon having W. L.
 Douglas Shoes. Name
 and price stamped on
 bottom. Brooklyn
 Mass.

DEALERS who push the sale of W. L. Douglas Shoes gain customers,
 which helps to increase the sales on their full line of goods. They can
 afford to sell at a less profit, and we believe you can save money by buying all your
 footwear of the dealer advertised below. Catalogue free upon application.

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Members of the
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 GRAIN,
 PROVISIONS
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 Cured
 in 21 to 30 days by a Magic Remedy, under
 guarantee, backed by \$100,000 capital. Free
 five proofs and 30 page book illustrating
 cases. Life time guarantee. Send for book.
 When you receive book and money will be
 sent. Magic Remedy will cure.
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FINEST Laundry Work IN THE CITY.

Sample Work FREE

To New Customers---Limited to Six
 (6) pieces, shirt, collars and cuffs.

All Work Delivered in Two Days Time.

Quickest Work in the City.

EHRMAN'S LAUNDRY.

For Breakfast,

For Dinner,

For Supper,

The Flour
 That
 Always
 Makes
 The Most
 And Best
 Bread.

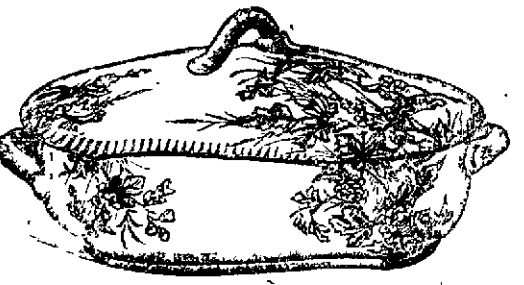
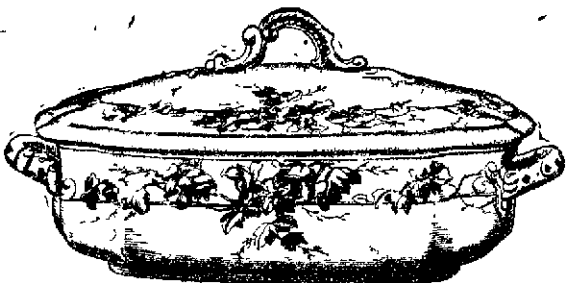
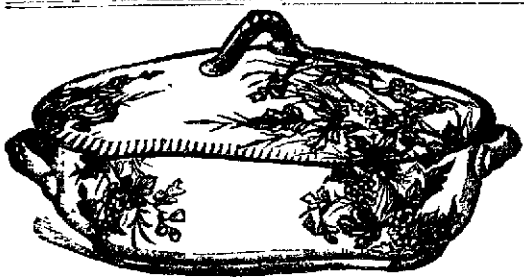
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Manufactured by the Hatfield Milling Co.,
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DIRECTOR.

Has removed from Masonic Temple Block to Sprague's Block, North Main street, where every
 thing pertaining to the funeral business is furnished and attended to in the highest style of art. Calls
 day or night, with prompt attention. In connection a mourning vault. Business—24 W. 1st
 W. 1st St. Telephone 124. Call 124.

Dinner Ware.



IN OUR CHINA DEPARTMENT we are showing the Largest Line of DINNER SETS ever shown in Decatur.

Ranging in Price from \$8.50 Up.

OTTO E. CURTIS & BRO.

Jewelers and Dealers in Fine China.

Some People

smother their conscience by saying, "It's business"—that you can't do business and

Tell the Truth.

That's not so. People are not all fools that buy goods nowadays. This leads us to say that the only place to buy shoes is at the F. H. Cole Shoe Company's, for their prices are lower actually for styles of 1894 than you can get old styles for elsewhere.

Ladies' Dongola and Vici Kid Oxfords

all \$2.25 and \$2.50 goods—clean, fresh Rochester made goods—at \$1.00 per pair. These goods were bought to sell at \$2.25 and \$2.50 per pair and are well worth that money. They are in all different style lasts, widths A to E.

Men's Tan Shoes.

Men's Tan Goat Bais, bought to sell at \$3.00 and worth that of anybody's money. We give you all you want of them at \$2.49.

Men's Calf Shoes,

in Bals and Congress, plain toes and tips, all nice new and fresh goods, bought to sell at the close price of \$2.50 per pair, but we are going to sell them at \$1.78 per pair.

We Are the Exclusive Agents

for the celebrated Hanan & Son's Fine Shoes for Men, and the correct new styles of 1894 are obtainable only of us.

"I SAW YOU sliding down a cellar door," said a fond mother reprovingly. "Don't you know that shoes cost money?" "They don't cost much 'z they used to," said Eli, Jr.; "cause up to that F. H. Cole shoe store they are selling boys' nice dongola calf shoes at \$1.58 a pair, and the feller said they was all solid, and he looked honest."

FRANK H. COLE SHOE CO.

B. F. BOBO, Manager.

148 EAST MAIN STREET

Daily Republican

The Long-haired Lady Has Gone,

But we still keep a full supply of the HAIR GROWER and SCALP CLEANER.

KING & HUBBARD
Successors to King & Wood.

THURSDAY, MAY 24, 1894.

LOCAL NEWS.

DENZ & SON, TAILORS.

The delegates are not in it any more. PALMER'S perfumes at Irwin's.

The Grand Opera House cigars, made by Kock & Weigand, are the best in town. mar25-dtf

USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR.

Irwin's harmless headache powders are a sure cure for headache.

Decatur township will have numerous Sunday school conventions this summer.

CALDWELL'S Syrup Pepsin for constipation and sick headache—10 doses for 10 cents.

HAVE you placed your name on the entry and parade lists for Decoration Day road race?

UPHOLSTERING of all kinds done to order. BACHMAN BROS. & MARTIN CO. mar20-dtf

A new medicine, Gladstone's celery and pepsin compound for sale by L. N. Irwin & Co.

CHAN POWERS, who is attending the Missouri state tournament at St. Louis, is leading in all the best matches.

THE man who smiles and is happy all the day long buys his meats of Young & Dresbach, North Park street.

THE funerals of Mrs. Lee Webb and Mrs. M. Oswald, both having died of consumption, took place at Atwood today.

PARTIES in the western part of the city are complaining of the "flower snafchies," who work that territory of nights.

Mrs. F. G. WHITLOCK sister of Mrs. J. G. Badenhausen, of this city, died Wednesday at her home at Macomb City, Miss.

There seems to be a "Jack, the tool bag swiper" abroad in the city. Cyclists are numerous in making complaints of such thefts.

Mrs. EMMA BRINON has been appointed administrator of the estate of A. G. Benton, late of Ponsyth. The bond is \$4,000.

Mrs. A. F. WILSON had the serious misfortune yesterday to run a sewing machine needle through the fore finger of her left hand.

A LETTER has been received from W. J. Wayne stating that the remains of Rev. C. E. Torrey arrived safely at Norwich, N. Y., on Wednesday.

A NUMBER of men were at work today tearing down the old rookeries on North Franklin street. It is said that a large grocery house will occupy one of the new buildings when completed.

Back numbers of the wonderful art work, Photographic Tour of the World, may be had at the REPUBLICAN office. Read the coupon published daily.

LADIES' "Blouse" sets, consisting of 3 studs, 1 collar button and 1 pair cuff buttons to match, made in silver in great variety at Otto E. Curtis & Bro's.

USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR.

THE directors of the Decatur Leader Manufacturing company will hold a meeting at the office of the company on June 28 for the purpose of considering the question of increasing the capital stock of the company.

BEAR in mind the solid fact that you can get the famous Haines Upright pianos and other standard instruments only at the C. B. Prescott music house. Make your selections there. Every instrument a bargain.

In Justice Hammer's court, may 31, Jack Lilly will have a hearing for assaulting Mrs. Yagusch, and on June 1 in Justice Shor's court Mrs. Yagusch will answer a charge of trespass on Wabash property on complaint of Lilly.

Runs the tailor's prices for cleaning and pressing: Suits cleaned and pressed \$1.50, pants cleaned and pressed 50c, suits scoured and pressed \$2.50, pants scoured and pressed for repairing of all kinds. Work called for and delivered. Telephone 262. Room 6, Syndicate block. May14-dtf

THE citizens of Yates City held a mass meeting one night last week and in a short time subscribed almost \$5,000 to start a factory for the manufacture of cars planned by a man named Thompson of that place. The amount needed is \$10,000, and it is thought it can be easily raised.

THE stockholders of the State Bank of O'ro Gordo met Tuesday and elected as directors John N. Leighton, E. L. Croninger, John Ater, F. W. Stevenson, H. C. Simmons, C. A. Johnson, H. C. Clinton, J. A. Kane, J. J. Bear, F. V. Dillatash and A. C. Thompson. The stockholders who are not directors are Wm. Noecker, W. H. Dillatash, Melvin Wally, James P. Owensby, R. C. Blood, R. F. Huff, Thomas Chambers, Thomas

Ater, William Lyons, Mary A. Adams, Charity Armsworth and John E. Andrews. Tuesday afternoon the directors met and selected John N. Leighton as president; F. V. Dillatash, vice president; Melvin Wally, cashier. The new association has purchased the bank building together with its fixtures and expects to be doing business within a week.

A SURPRISE party was given last evening on Mr. and Mrs. George Kraft at their home on East Eldorado street to celebrate the 12th anniversary of their wedding. There were present about 200 guests who enjoyed a long program of dances after which splendid refreshments were served. The surprise was arranged by the members of the Royal Arcanum and the old hose team, and was a complete surprise to the host. Mr. and Mrs. Kraft were married on May 23, 1882, at the German Lutheran church by Rev. Landgraf.

ON May 25th Walter Poor will have a trial in Justice Shor's court on a charge of stealing three umbrellas and a hat from the Faithful Lodge of Good Templars in the Famous block. The warrants were sworn out by Edgar N. Siv, who lost a \$3 umbrella. The other victims were George Ruckie, \$1.50 umbrella; Ed. Mitchell, \$1.50 hat, and Elmer Gibson, \$1.50 umbrella.

SHERIFF PERL has received a telegram offering a reward of \$25 for the capture of a Pontiac woman, Noble Lee, alias Carmen, who escaped from the Pontiac jail last night. She had on a black dress with large white pearl buttons, green cape, black hat with brown flowers, medium size, light complexion, Auburn hair, good looking, Irish descent.

A BIRTHDAY social will be held at the residence of Mrs. L. M. Brown, 327 South Main street, this evening, under the auspices of the W. C. T. U. Those whose birthday has occurred since Sept. 1893, are requested to bring their amounts, one cent for each year.

THE Rev. Mr. Stone, of Chahapaign, will occupy the pulpit at the Baptist church Sunday morning and evening.

To-day Charley Ash and Susie E. Smith, both of Hannistown, were granted a marriage license.

Royal Neighbors.

At the Royal Neighbors' entertainment given in Good Templars' hall, this evening there will be displayed a handsome satteen quilt elegantly embroidered, which is to be disposed of by guesses and will be given to the person holding the lucky number. The Royal Neighbors organization is auxiliary to the Modern Woodmen. It is also a benevolent order, where wives, mothers, sisters and daughters of Woodmen may carry an insurance at the same rate of assessment as that paid by Woodmen. W. A. Northcott and the board of managers of Modern Woodmen are just perfecting this plan of insurance for the Royal Neighbors.

Equal Suffrage Association.

The Equal Suffrage Association will hold its regular meeting at the Pythian hall, Library block, Friday, at 3 p. m. Entrance same as W. C. T. U. on west front.

LESSON VIII.

1st. In what is the judicial power of Illinois vested?
2d. Tell all you can about the powers and duties of Supreme Court.
3d. What are Circuit Courts?
4th. Describe county Courts.
5th. Are the divorce laws of our State favorable to women?
6th. Do you believe in a universal divorce law?
7th. What remedy would you propose to prevent so many divorces?

For Six Days and Nights.

There is abroad in the city a pedestrian who is trying to get up a six days' and nights' walking match to advertise the merchants. He claims to have made successful walks in many of the large cities throughout the country, and in every case has excited a great deal of interest. He claims to be able to walk one mile every hour for the six days and nights and intends making a mile course through the business streets which he will cover every hour. It will be a great drawing card and it is probable that the merchants will take up the pedestrian's offer.

Sales of Real Estate.

N. L. Krone to W. H. Carman, a house and lot at No. 341 West Wood street, for \$2,800. In the deal Mr. Krone took the building at 1200 North Calhoun street known as Richardson's drug store and valued at \$1,500.
W. H. Carman sold the Krone property to T. M. Hobart, the consideration being \$3,000. He took in exchange four lots in Solona Place valued at \$1,500.
Carolina M. Powers to Gottlieb Schwaba, lot 20 and the east half of lot 19, block 4, of Powers' addition—\$500.
R. R. Montgomery and F. R. Shull to Alexander Gorin, deed to north half of lot 3, block 2, Montgomery & Shull's Second addition—\$200.

Entries for the Road Race.

The entries for the road race given by the Decatur Bicycle club on Decoration day will close on the night of Saturday, May 26. Entries should be made with Frank Dodd, at the office of Dodd & Sanner company on Merchant street. dtf

Bachman's Baby

Buggies are here; 50 different styles; the most beautiful line ever shown in the city, and at prices to suit the times. Don't fail to see them. We will sell you a buggy on payments.

BACHMAN BROS. & MARTIN CO.

mar20-dtf
EDWARD KIRKING has been well received in England. They look like it. He goes for the summer to England.

LIFTING COAL IN DECATUR.

Operations Resumed with a Small Force of Men—Signs of Activity.

The approaches to the new shaft of the Decatur Coal company presented an animated appearance this morning. Smoke rolled in heavy dark clouds from the tall smoke stack. Steam hissed from the pipes over the engine house and the clang of machinery reminded one of the days before the strike. A long line of empty coal wagons were drawn up in the alleyway leading to the shaft, and every now and then an avalanche of black diamonds came down the inclined plane with a roar which could be heard for blocks around. The force which went down this morning consisted of twenty men; many of them had some experience as miners, others were new men who had never before delved into the mysteries of the lower regions. They were not all Decatur men, a few had come from outside points to work in the shaft. The green men were put in charge of the more experienced and the result of their work was highly satisfactory to the managers of the mine. About 10 o'clock, another squad of workmen put in an appearance, were lowered into the shaft, and a still larger detachment went down at noon. The management claim that the force will be increased day by day and do not seem to apprehend any trouble. Very few of the old men were in the neighborhood, only two being on the ground when the REPUBLICAN reporter visited the works. The stood on the sidewalk opposite the hoisting works, and kept tab of the loaded cars as they came shooting to the surface. They said little, but it was evident that they did not appreciate the appearance of things. The company raised something over 60 tons of coal Wednesday and expect that this output will be largely increased when the whistle blows for quitting work to night. It is evident that the operators propose to go ahead and operate the mines. When a respectable force is gathered at the new shaft men will be put to work in the old mine. It is claimed that no difficulty will be experienced in securing men. No trouble is apprehended, as it is believed that public sentiment in Decatur will not countenance acts of lawlessness, should such be attempted.

At 2 o'clock this afternoon the rush at the mine showed no signs of a let-up. Three large flats were piled high with coal and set out on the side track. They were billed to the water works. The street in front of the office, and grounds about the mine were packed with teams and vehicles waiting their turn to load. There has been no advance in the price of coal. It sells for \$1.00 per ton at the shaft. Many teamsters will not be able to secure loads to-day, but will have to fall in line to-morrow. The company will not discharge the men now at work even should a settlement be effected with the strikers. A meeting of the old men will be held to-night at which they will discuss the situation.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Will J. Huff has returned from his visit to Iowa and Nebraska. Mrs. Huff and son, Landley, will remain in Iowa for a longer visit.

F. C. Cleever, master mechanic, and Ben McKeen, superintendent, officials of the Vandalia line, were in the city to-day.

George M. Jenison left to-day for his home in Chicago after a visit with Decatur relatives.

Mrs. Charles Morgan, of Mechanicsburg, is the guest of Mrs. B. T. Nesbit.

Mr. and Mrs. Hi Hanks, of Chicago, are in the city.

Mrs. Emil Sturm and father, M. Heilburn, left to-day for Moline to visit relatives.

Dr. I. H. Gillen, of Milford, Ill., is in the city visiting his old neighbor and friend, C. H. Dawson.

Rev. H. H. Oneal will deliver the address on decoration day at Mt. Pulaski.

Mrs. C. L. Hovey is entertaining her mother, Mrs. Wilmeth, of Bloomington.

Mrs. M. H. Farmer, is entertaining her sister, Miss Mina E. Dorr, of Virden.

Dr. Cooley and wife are visiting friends in Champaign.

Mrs. V. N. Hostetler has gone to Kansas City to visit relatives.

B. M. Mahan, of Argenta, is in the city to-day.

George Bohon, of Danville, Ky., is in the city visiting his brother, R. S. Bohon.

Miss Flo Reeme, of Chicago, is the guest of Mrs. John B. Freeman.

Robert Brower, representing Alexander Saurin, soon to appear in "The Three Guardsmen," at the Grand, was in the city to-day.

Go to Grass

and buy Collier lead for \$5.50 per cwt.

It cures blood and skin disorders. It does this quickly and permanently. Is there any good reason why you should not use DeWitt's Sarsaparilla. It recommends itself. C. H. Dawson.

THE Rev. Dr. W. T. S. Clem, of the Methodist Episcopal Church, who officiated at the funeral of Edgar Allen Poe, is still living in good health in Baltimore.

Let us remind you that now is the time to take DeWitt's Sarsaparilla. It will do you good. It recommends itself. C. H. Dawson.

Go to Grass

for wall paper. Prices always the lowest.

STRIKE HORRORS.

Burning Mine Property in Centralia. On the March.

Sixteen Strikers Killed by Police in Uniontown, Pennsylvania.

[SPECIAL TO THE TRIBUNE.]

CENTRALIA, Ill., May 24.—Following an early hour, 500 strikers from Duquoin and other points at Centralia and visited the mine. The mob was uncontrollable, engaged in a riot. They destroyed machinery, and filled the debris to within fifteen feet. The property took fire and was fiercely at this hour. Further is apprehended.

SIXTEEN STRIKERS KILLED

CHICAGO, May 24. In the Uniontown, Pa., to-day, six strikers at the works of the Washington Coke company were killed by the sheriffs.

The strikers attacked the day their headquarters and the mine fired with fatal effect. Besides the thirty were wounded. Many of the wounded cannot recover. Three of the were wounded. Several strikers in the party. There were 2,000 armed strikers in the party.

QUIET AT PANAMA.

PANAMA, May 24.—The mayor received a telegram from Centralia to-day that one mine had been destroyed, and that the strikers were marching, and that they would then start for Decatur. Considerable excitement here, but may go to Decatur from Panama still at work.

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS.

THE MOUND.

The door receipts at the mound were given by Professor C. W. Smith, than church last Sunday evening. The entertainment was one of the given in the mound.

Prof. C. W. Smith, assistant of the mound, will give a lecture on the mound, Monday evening, will give a lecture at the close of the term, starting June 2.

Monetary service will be given at the church next Sunday under the auspices of G. A. R. Rev. W. L. Banks, the main address of the mound, will probably be followed by others with a special feature of the occasion, a lecture of about thirty two singers conducted by Caldwell, of Normal.

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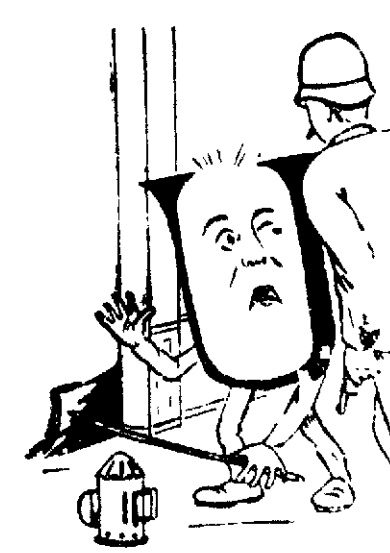
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